

THE SLOCAN WASTE TRANSFER STATION HOURS OF OPERATION:

**May to September –
Tues/Thurs/Sat,
9am to 3pm**

October to April – Tues/Sat,

GARBAGE

RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE: TUESDAYS

COMMERCIAL GARBAGE: TUES. & FRI.

BAGS MUST BE OUT BY 9am

All bags must be securely sealed and in a garbage can, with a secure lid to keep animals out. Any damaged bags must be cleaned up by the property owner
Garbage tags are available at the Village office for \$2.50/each if you wish to put out an extra bag.

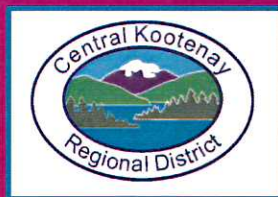


SLOCAN BEACH REMINDERS:

- Dogs are NOT allowed at the family beach. There is a designated dog beach area by the Gazebo.
- Keep the boat launch area cleared of vehicles and park in designated areas.
- Moorage is not permitted. The Village has authority to tow boats that are not compliant.
- Please drive slowly and watch for children!

NOTICE OF 2019 TAX SALE

Pursuant to Part 11 of the *Local Government Act*, all Local Governments must conduct an Annual Municipal Tax Sale – a sale by public auction – of each parcel of real property on which taxes are delinquent. If property owners have outstanding delinquent balances as of **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30th, 2019 at 10:00am**, the properties will be listed and sold in the public auction. All properties with delinquent balances will be advertised in advance of the tax sale.



BUILDING INSPECTION SERVICES

The building inspector is at the Village Office every Thursday from **1pm – 2pm**.
If you wish to make an appointment please call **250-355-2277**.

**SPRINGER CREEK
RV PARK & CAMPGROUND**

For reservations or information:
May – Oct: 250-355-2266 |
springr@telus.net



**THE CORPORATION OF
THE VILLAGE OF SLOCAN**

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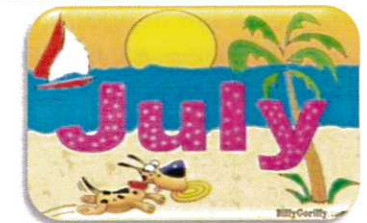
JULY 2019 - NEWSLETTER

OFFICE HOURS:
Monday to Thursday from
9:00am to 4:00pm
(Closed from 12 noon to
1:00pm for lunch)
Closed on Fridays.

2019 Council Meeting Schedule

January 14	May 13	September 9
February 12 (Tues.)	June 10	October 15 (Tues.)
March 11	July 8	November 12 (Tues.)
April 8	August 12	December 9

(Council Meetings start at 7:00 pm in Village Chambers)



LEGION EVENTS The Legion always welcomes Members & Guests!

MUSIC JAMS: Every Sunday 5:00 – 9:00

Member Jackpot is now up to \$90.00!

If you are a member, you're automatically in the draw

You just have to be present at 6:00pm to win!

If you would like to become a Legion member you can join at the Hall or call:

250-355-2672 Member fees: **\$45**



RDCK NOTICE OF WORK

In the Spring of 2019, the RDCK completed a Risk Prioritization Study to identify areas at risk for flood, landslide, and debris flows throughout the region. The study was the first step in a series of projects that will enable our communities to be better prepared for extreme weather (and other) events. This summer, the RDCK is undertaking further region-wide assessments to update existing flood mapping, as part of the National Disaster Mitigation Program. Field crews will be performing work on ground, water, and in air via helicopter. Information on this project (including a tentative schedule and a phone number to direct comments and questions) can be found on the RDCK website: www.rdck.bc.ca/floodmapstudy

WE Graham Community Service Society SUMMER DAY CAMPS!

Art Extravaganza

July 22-26 (Age 6-8)
July 29-Aug. 2 (Age 9-12)



Outdoor Adventure Weeks

Aug. 6-9 (Age 6-8)
Aug. 12-16 (Age 9-12)



Call 250-355-2484 for more info and to register.



BC Cancer Breast Screening's digital mobile mammography service will be visiting the

SLOCAN HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTRE

AUGUST 26, 2019

To book your appointment please call **1-800-63-9203**



Mammograms are available for women ages 40 and over. Make an informed decision to screen for breast cancer.

Visit www.screeningbc.ca to learn more

MAMMOGRAMS SAVE LIVES
Digital Mobile Mammography
Coming to Your Community

SLOCAN SATURDAY MARKET

FEATURING
**LOCAL FARMERS ARTISANS
LIVE MUSIC
KIDS ZONE**

MEXICAN CONCESSION STAND

**EXPO PARK
VILLAGE OF SLOCAN**

EVERY SATURDAY JUNE, JULY, AUGUST
10 AM TO 2 PM

ALL VENDORS WELCOME

PLEASE CONTACT CHRISTINA: 250 355 2635
FACEBOOK: SLOCAN ARTISAN/FARMERS MARKET
OR JUST COME!!!

VILLAGE OF SLOCAN MEETING NOTES: July 8th, 2019

- Dave Lampron, Chief operating officer at Columbia Basin Broadband Corporation (CBB), presented an update to Council on the Connecting BC Backbone Fibre Project.
- Council approved a recommendation that the following traditional land acknowledgement statement be read at the opening of all Village of Slocan public meetings: "The Village of Slocan acknowledges and respects the indigenous peoples whose traditional land and territory we stand." The Council procedures bylaw will be updated accordingly.
- Councillors Madeleine Perrere and Buryl Van Bynen will be attending the 2019 UBCM Convention in Vancouver on September 23 – 27, 2019, alongside Mayor Lunn, as voting delegates representing the Village of Slocan.
- Slocan Village Council will support a partnership application to the BC Rural Dividend Program 2019 intake, submitted on behalf of the partnership by the Village of Silverton, to continue progress on the Slocan Valley Economic Development Partnership Project. Council will submit a letter of support to accompany the application submission.
- Council has approved the Community Outdoor Commission draft Terms of Reference as amended, and staff will put a call out to the community for membership.
- Council has authorized a submission to the Community Energy Leadership Program (CELP), in partnership with WEGCSS and the Slocan Valley Youth Network, for a \$27,000.00 skate park solar lighting project. Council will contribute \$3,000 towards the project from the RDCK Community Development Fund, if approved.
- A letter of support will be sent to the Kootenay Mountaineering Club, in support of their efforts to encourage easy access to Provincial parks in the region. Members of the Club will be invited to present further, their initiatives to Council.
- A letter will be sent to Walter Popoff and Ron LeBlanc, offering Slocan's assistance to further support agriculture in the Slocan Valley, as per the recommendations listed in the *Overview of Agriculture in the Slocan Valley* report.
- A letter of congratulations will be sent to the Rossland Fever Follies on their grand opening and CIP/APP project success, and that Council members will attend if available.

CALLOUT for Committee Members!

Climate Action Commission

Purpose: To review climate action and energy emission reduction strategies, and to provide recommendations for initiating related programs, activities and incentives within the Village of Slocan.

Please call
250-355-2277
for info

Outdoor Recreation Commission

Purpose: To identify community outdoor recreation opportunities, needs and priorities, and to provide recommendations to Council on policies, plans, and programs related to community outdoor recreation in the Village of Slocan.

Please submit your interest to: cao@villageofslocan.ca

Keep up to date on Village business by attending regular Council meetings, or by visiting our website or Facebook page. Alternatively, office staff are always here to help if you should have any questions: 250.355.2277 | www.slocancty.com | www.facebook.com/villageofslocan



2019 Household Hazardous Waste Round-Up Events

These collection events happen every year and provide an opportunity to RDCK residents to responsibly dispose of hazardous waste for free. The Regional District of Central Kootenay will be hosting the following four Household Hazardous Waste Round-up events in the fall of 2019:

DATE	LOCATION	TIME
SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 7 - 2019	Castlegar Community Complex	10.00am – 2.00pm
SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 8 - 2019	Nelson Leafs Bottle Depot	10.00am – 2.00pm
SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 21 - 2019	Silverton Public Works Yard	10.00am – 2.00pm
SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 22 - 2019	Nakusp Arena	10.00am – 2.00pm

All events are free! Food donations are accepted.

Residential household hazardous waste only. No commercial or industrial wastes.

For a complete list of items accepted at round-up events, visit www.rdck.ca or call 1-800-268-7325

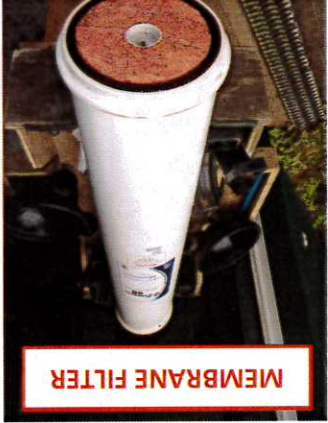
KNOTWEED



is an invasive weed that is present in Slocan, with many infestations on private property. Residents would recognize this plant as looking similar to bamboo. Please take caution **NOT** to remove this plant without instructions on how to do so. Info is available at the Village Office or by visiting www.ckiss.ca.



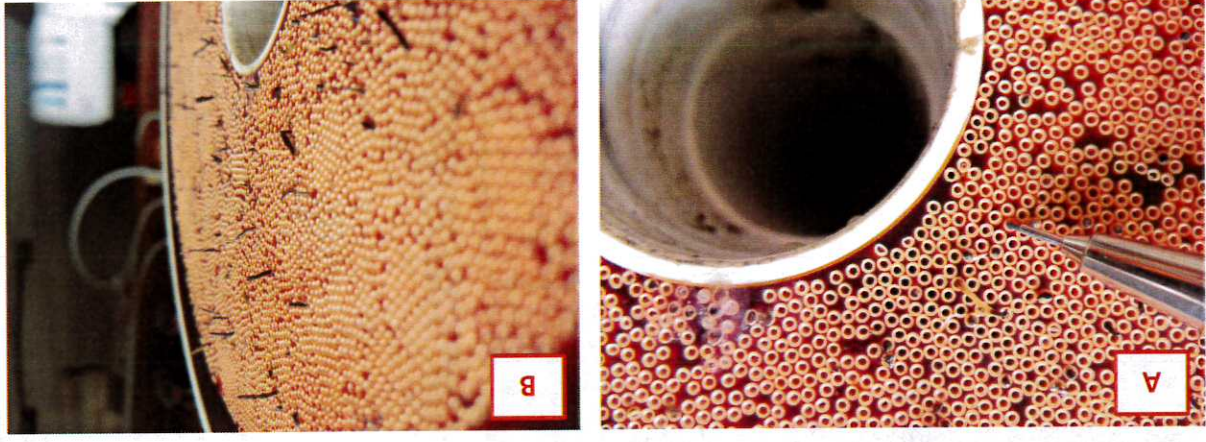
MEMBRANE FILTER



The water conservation advisory still remains in effect until public works can complete cleaning the membrane filters. There are 28 membrane filters in our plant (one filter shown to the left), and in each one, 15,000 straw-like tubes. These filters need to be cleaned and flushed out manually, which is a time consuming job. To clean the membranes, the plant needs to be shut off. While the plant is off, we rely solely on the water that has been collected in the reservoir. If the reservoir is depleting at a fast rate, we cannot shut the system down for repair. This is why the advisory remains in effect.

Conservation measures include: no sprinkling (hand watering ok in moderation), no filling pools, washing vehicles, or anything else that is beyond necessary for general health / well-being. Thank you again, for everyone's patience as we continue to work through this.

WATER ADVISORY STILL IN EFFECT



A: End view showing filtration tubes, each with a 0.8mm diameter. Close-up of mechanical pencil tip for scale.
B: Example of debris plugging the tubes.